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TRANSMITTABLE LIGHT-SCATTERING SHEET

AND LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE

TC 2800 MAIL ROOM
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## REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In reply to the Restriction Requirement dated February 3, 2003, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

## REMARKS

The Examiner has restricted the claims of the invention into the following two groups:

Group I, claims 19-21, drawn to a method of making a semiconductor device;

Group II, claims 1-18 and 22-24, drawn to a semiconductor device.

For the purpose of examination of the present application, Applicants elect, with traverse, Group II, claims 1-18 and 22-24.